

A Lady's Opinion of a Lady's Man.

Mrs. Stephens, in her excellent monthly magazine, thus "pitches in" against a class of men which is becoming far too numerous:

"Our own private opinion of the Lady's Man, is, that he is thoroughly contemptible—a sort of specimen of the life hardly worth thinking about—a nut-shell with the kernel withered up—a handful of foam drifting over the wind of life, something not altogether unpleasant to the fancy, but of no earthly use. A woman of sense would as soon put to sea in a man-of-war made of shingles, or take up her residence in a card-house, as to dream of attaching herself to a lady-killer.

Women worth the name are seldom deceived into thinking our lady's man the choicest specimen of his sex. Whatever their ignorance may be, womanly intuition must tell them that the men who live for great objects, and whose spirits are so firmly knit that they are enabled to encounter the storms of life—men whose depth and warmth of feeling resemble the powerful current of a mighty river, and not the bubbles on its surface, who, if they love are never smitten by mere beauty of form or features—that these men are far more worthy even of occupying their thoughts in idle moments than the fops and men about town with whose attentions they amuse themselves. If we were to tell him this, he would only laugh; he has no pride about him altho' full of vanity; and it matters not to him what we may broadly affirm or quietly insinuate.

"Soft and delicate though he be, he is unperturbed to ridicule as a lod-carrier, and as regardless of honest contempt as a city alderman. Were you to hand him this article, he would take it to some social party, and read it aloud in the most mellifluous voice as a homage to his own attractions."

Kansas Once More.

We have examined very carefully the three leading propositions of the "English Bill," the "Crittenden Amendment," and the "Montgomery Substitute." We find that the amount of land donated by each is identical. So, of course, the hue and cry of the Republican press about a bribe being offered to Kansas to accept the Lecompton Constitution has not the shadow of authority for its foundation. The editors who raised such reports must have been either ignorant of what they spoke or else wilfully mendacious.—G. R. Enquirer.

It is not the amount but the terms of the grant which determine its character as a bribe.

The "Crittenden amendment" and "Montgomery Substitute" proposed to make the usual grant of land to Kansas upon her admission as a State, and, at the same time, provided that she should be admitted under such a constitution as her people might choose to adopt. This was a gift.

The English bill made the grant conditional. It gives the land to the State of Kansas, provided her people will consent to come into the Union under the Lecompton Constitution. If they reject that proposition, the grant is to be withheld. It says to the people: "Consent to a 'slave constitution, and you shall immediately be admitted into the Union as a 'State, and have five million acres of 'land; you can then elect your own officers, be represented in both branches of 'Congress, and take a part in the next 'Presidential election. But if you persist in your resistance to slavery, you 'shall be kept in your present condition 'of territorial vassalage for an indefinite 'length of time." Here is the bribe and the threat.

The constitution which they are now asked to sanction, with such flattering conditions, they voted down by more than 10,000 majority but a few weeks ago; but the Administration hopes that, under the inducements held out to them, together with the threatened consequences of their refusal, the people of Kansas will now consent to swallow the dose. We shall see.—G. R. Enquirer.

SINGULAR, VERY.—The Syracuse Journal having published a paragraph to the effect that "A human leg and foot were washed ashore at the foot of Poplar street, Boston, on Wednesday," the Boston Post says: "We don't doubt the truth of the statement in the least. Probably more people wash their legs and feet on shore than elsewhere every day in the year."

The only remarkable case of this kind on record is that of the Yankee Soap man, who in a violent storm at sea, saved himself from death by taking a cake of his own soap and washing himself ashore.

Have you got a sister? Then love and cherish her with holy friendship.—Exchange.

If you haven't got any sister of your own, take some other feller's sister and love her. The effect is just as good and sometimes better.

New Advertisements.

VILLAGE PROPERTY FOR SALE.

ONE DWELLING HOUSE & BARN, with well, cistern, and wood-house attached, finely located on Main street, and suitable for a private family or for a boarding house. Fruit, berries, and shrubs of all kinds on the premises. Also, one new DWELLING HOUSE

In rear of the Methodist Church, suitable for a small family—pleasantly and conveniently located. Also,

3 VILLAGE LOTS.

The above property will be sold LOW. A part of the purchase money may remain on loan at the option of the purchaser.

For further particulars enquire of J. PALMER, his Cabinet Shop, two doors west of the Post Office, Paw Paw, Mich., May 22, 1858. 163-3m.

SMITH'S COLUMN.

E. SMITH & CO.

Offer at the present moment a

LARGE AMOUNT

—AND A—

Greater Assortment

OF

MERCHANDISE

Than at any previous period. It is an acknowledged fact, that the Subscriber's Store has the appearance of business, if the number of customers.

THE MAGNITUDE OF STOCK

And extreme

Low Prices

Is a criterion for the people to judge from—then we have the most satisfactory evidence that do

LONG BRICK STORE

Is the place above all others

UPPER BARGAINS.

Just received

50 pieces Challies, price 25c per yd., worth 35c.
20 " " " " " " " " 25c.
20 " " " " " " " " 15c.
20 cart loads of Prints, price 6c to 12c per yd.

BLACK SILKS,
MUSLINS,
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SHAWLS,
MANTILLAS,
PARASOLS,
HOSIERY,
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MITTS,
RIBBONS
AND LACES.

A full stock

Now Arriving

To be sold low! Our assortment of

CLOTHING,
BOOTS AND SHOES
AND SUMMER HATS.

IS FULL.

All kinds of

FISH,
PAINTS,
OILS,
GLASS,
NAILS
AND GRAINS.

CHEAP AS EVER.

E. SMITH & Co's, is just the place.

Great bargains for to reap;
On Dry Goods, all can suit their taste;
Remember, we sell cheap.

To those who are strangers to this shop.

Or those who've called before,
Now, all be wise and straightway find
Smith's Broadway Dry Goods Store.

Many, the truth of this will speak,

In tones like thunder's roar,
That Smith's the place for Dry Goods cheap.
Ho! for the Long Brick Store.

TERMS, CASH.

E. SMITH & CO.

Paw Paw, May 21st.

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MARKET REPORT.

TRUE NORTHERNER OFFICE,
May 20—3 o'clock, P. M.

Corrected and Revised for THE TRUE NORTHERNER.

Flour, per bbl.	\$1.25 @ 5.00
Corn meal, 35 cwt.	1.00
Wheat 35 bushel.	64 @ 75
Apples, dry, " "	\$1.25 @ 1.50
Apples, green, " "	38 @ 75
Beans, " "	65 @ 75
Corn, " "	25
Oats, " "	25
Peas, " "	18 @ 50
Onions, " "	75
Hams, 35 lb.	9 @ 10
Shoulders, lb.	7
Honey, lb.	12 1/2
Tallow, lb.	12 1/2
Lard, lb.	10
Butter, lb.	15
Eggs, 3 doz.	\$1.75
Strawberries, 3 M.	\$4.00 @ 5.00
Pine Lumber, 3 M.	\$8.00 @ 16.00
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Clover Seed, 3 lb.	\$6.00
Timothy, " "	2.50
Red top, " "	1.25
Salt, 35 bbl.	2.75
Store Lime, " "	1.50
Water, " "	2.50

NEW YORK DRUG STORE.

3700 Facts for The PEOPLE,

LOOK AT THIS COLUMN

And Find Them!!

KILBURN & HUDSON would respectfully announce that they have been making

Extensive Additions

to their stock consisting of the

Choicest imported

DRUGS AND MEDICINES,

FAMILY GROCERIES, PURE LIQ-

UORS, ALCOHOL, BRANDY,

PORTWINE, WHISKY, GIN,

CHOICE BRANDS OF

TOBACCO, BOX

& KEG RAIS-

INS, BAG

SALT,

PEPPER, SPICE, CASSIA,

CLOVES, STARCH, BIRD SEED,

SODA, CANDLES, SOAP, MATCHES,

AND FISH. ALL KINDS OF

JEWELRY, YANKEE NOTIONS,

BOOKS,

STATIONARY,

WOODEN AND

WILLOW WARE,

PAINTS AND OILS,

VARNISH BRUSHES,

WINDOW GLASS AND PUTTY.

Now is your time, as we are selling at

reduced prices. You will have but to call

and be convinced.

KILBURN & HUDSON.

Paw Paw, Feb. 14, 1858.—ly.

NEW

Grocery & Provision

STORE.

At the old stand of Jared Palmer, north side of

Main Street, two doors west of the Post Office,

Are Now Receiving

An Entire new stock of

CHOICE

FAMILY

GROCERIES,

Consisting in part of

SUGAR, TEA, COFFEE, SOAP,

Starch, Candles, Oil, Tobacco, Burning Fluid,

CONFECTIONARY,

FRUITS AND

VEGETABLES.

Our goods are New, Fresh and bought at the

present depressed prices, and will be sold

Cheap! Cheap!! Cheap!!! Cheap!!!!

Before purchasing elsewhere, you will find it for

your interest to call and examine our stock. Ad-

mission, Free.

Paw Paw, May 13, 1858.

J. PALMER, 161-ly. B. C. SHELTON.

DWELLING HOUSE to rent, with well

cistern and woodhouse attached, suitable

for a small family. Inquire at

this office.

25 CORDS of seasoned WOOD, wanted at

the NORTHERNER OFFICE.

INSURANCE.

RELIABLE INSURANCE.

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INSURANCE COMPANY.

ATHENS, BRADFORD CO., PA.

C. N. SHIPMAN, - Pres.

J. E. CANFIELD, - Sec'y.

This is a stock company, organized under a

PERPETUAL CHARTER,

granted by the State of Pennsylvania, with a capital

stock of \$200,000.00, all paid in and securely in-

vested, with a surplus of \$17,000, which being

added to its capital makes it one of the

SAFEST AND MOST RELIABLE

Insurance companies in the United States. Those

wishing first class Insurance can desire no better.

This company was organized about five years since,

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ERRORS AND MISTAKES

of the older offices, whereby many have made ship-

wreck of their capital and business and blasted the

hopes of their unfortunate patrons, this company,

at all times, has PROMPTLY

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& honestly ensured a reputation for fair dealing and

integrity which to similar institutions has been able

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Testimonials, References, Rates of Insurance

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is authorized to receive applications,

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T. R. HARRISON is the authorized Agent for

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Of the city of Albany, with a capital and surplus

of \$150,000 continues to take risks upon the entire

class of property. It is organized upon a solid

and substantial basis, and affords superior ad-

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CAPITAL STOCK.....200,000.

Continental Fire and Marine Ins. Co.

CAPITAL STOCK.....1,000,000.

New York Indemnity Insurance Company.

CAPITAL STOCK.....150,000.

Washington Union Insurance Company.

RESOURCES.....200,000.

Cleveland Mutual Insurance Company.

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The undersigned is duly authorized to take

risks and issue policies, in the above good and

reliable Insurance Companies, at as low rates of

premiums, as the nature of the risks will admit.

LOSSES promptly and equitably adjusted.

Insure your buildings, so that if they burn down

"these hard times," you will have the cash to put

them up again. T. R. HARRISON, Agent.

Office, at the "True Northerner" Office, north

side of main street, first door east of the Post office.

147-46.

Attention, Architects!

SEALED PROPOSALS, will be received by

the Commissioners of Highways of the Town-

ship of Lafayette, in the county of Van Buren and

State of Michigan, at the office of the Township

Clerk in said Township, from now until the first

day of June next, for the construction of one

ABUTMENT, and for furnishing the necessary

materials for the same, at the west end of the

Bridge across the Paw Paw river, near to the

Phoenix Mills, so-called, in said Township. Said

Abutment to be constructed of stone and thick-

ness, five feet long, and well spiked down with

40d Nails. Also, to construct Two wings, one upon

each end of the said wall, of the same material and

laid in the same style, workmanship and finish,

with a like foundation, and commencing at the

same depth. Each of the said wings to be ten

feet in length, measured from the face of the wall;

four feet thick at the bottom, and inclined to two

feet at the top; and carried up upon the east end

to the same height as the main wall and planted

downward eighteen inches, on the top surface tow-

ard the west end. Also to furnish and put on

Bond timbers of White-oak, two feet wide and two

inches thick, running the whole length of the main

wall and of the wings.

Good and sufficient security, in double the

amount of the cost of the above work, will be re-

quired, that the same shall be done in a good, sub-

stantial and workmanlike manner, and within the

time specified in the contract. The time for com-

pleting the said work will be specified and agreed